

# Royal Baking Powder

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THE DEMOCRAT.

LOCAL NEWS.

THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1896.

## STYLISH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Look at our new Crash Suits—they

Also a full line of black

Suits and Vests just arrived

M. HOFFMAN & BRO'S.

Also a lot of Persian Silks and

for shirt-waists just come in.

They will get your pick.

M. HOFFMAN & BRO.

Also a full line of Thompson

and other Corsets.

N. B. JOSEY.

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## Photographs.

Now prepared to do your work

and give you satisfaction in photo-

graphs. My time is limited in Scot-

land Neck so all who desire work will

do well to come soon.

Respectfully,

R. H. HAYMAN.

Extra good preserves and jellies at

Tables.

Good mackerels at 20c per gallon at

Tables.

## Commissioners' Meeting.

The county commissioners were in

session Monday. The following ac-

counts were allowed:

W. G. Durnell, eating pds. \$1.00

W. M. Cohen, goods for co. 21.14

W. M. Cohen, goods for co. 26.50

W. M. Cohen, State case vs. H. B.

Fulton, 7.25

W. M. Cohen, work 1.00

W. M. Cohen, May court 59.70

W. M. Cohen, rep's bridge 35.50

W. M. Cohen, Corn Mill, meal 16.72

W. M. Cohen, 4 annual salary 25.00

W. M. Cohen, repairing bridge 5.00

W. M. Cohen, lumber 25.00

W. M. Cohen, work 5.00

W. M. Cohen, record's orders 8.00

W. M. Cohen, Supt. Co. fence 2.50

W. M. Cohen, hauling jury 6.50

W. M. Cohen, work 7.12

W. M. Cohen, Supt. Co. home 13.65

W. M. Cohen, jail work 14.00

W. M. Cohen, meals for jury 6.50

W. M. Cohen, mattresses 4.05

W. M. Cohen, court order 9.00

W. M. Cohen, Pierce, goods for Co. 23.93

W. M. Cohen, 1.25

W. M. Cohen, 4.00

W. M. Cohen, Printing House 7.50

W. M. Cohen, print's notice 2.50

W. M. Cohen, officer to jury 3.00

W. M. Cohen, print's notice 2.50

W. M. Cohen, goods for Co. home 26.50

W. M. Cohen, rebate 2.00

W. M. Cohen, 5.00

W. M. Cohen, prisoner to Goldsboro 16.50

W. M. Cohen, Printing House 5.66

W. M. Cohen, transcribing 221.60

W. M. Cohen, prisoner to jail 2.00

W. M. Cohen, guarding prisoner 2.00

W. M. Cohen, Supt. Co. att'y. 50.00

W. M. Cohen, rebate 1.00

W. M. Cohen, 1 day clerk, mil. 3.50

W. M. Cohen, 3.20

W. M. Cohen, 2.00

W. M. Cohen, 1.00

W. M. Cohen, 2.00

W. M. Cohen, 2.00

W. M. Cohen, 2.00

## Every one should avail himself

of the opportunity of seeing the beautiful

Operetta, "Fire Fly Slave" to be

rendered at Pittman Hall Friday

Night, June 5, 1896, at 8:30 o'clock.

## Go to Mount Pleasant.

Miss Eric Caldwell who has been

teacher of elocution in Vine Hill Fe-

male Academy here for two years, has

resigned and will take a position in

Moena College at Mount Pleasant, Ca-

barrus county.

During Miss Caldwell's stay in Scot-

land Neck she has made many friends

and admirers who regret to lose her

but wish her even greater success in

her new field than she has had here.

She is bright, intelligent, accomplished

and attractive and will be a valuable

acquisition to the community in which

she will labor.

## Dowden's Day of Execution.

Henry Dowden, the colored man con-

vinced of the murder of engineer Dodd,

has been heard before the Supreme

Court. That court affirmed the decision

of the lower court, and the Govern-

or has appointed July 2nd as the day

for the execution.

Dowden was brought from Raleigh

to Halifax Tuesday by deputy sheriff

C. M. Walters and J. T. Rowland.

## County Temperance Meeting.

The next session of the county Tem-

perance Association will be held in Pitt-

man Hall, Scotland Neck, Tuesday

night June 10th, and not 18th as stated

last week. The change from 18th to

10th was made by the committee be-

cause of the township Democratic

primaries on 18th. There will be a

business session of the Association

Wednesday morning 17th, but it will

close time enough for visitors to leave

on the 10 o'clock train.

It is expected that Dr. D. B. Zollicof-

fer of Garysburg will address the As-

sociation on Tuesday night 16th.

## Commencements.

Davidson College commencement

will be held next week beginning Mon-

day, June 5th, with Class Day exer-

cises. Tuesday will be the annual

meeting of the Board of Trustees and

the reunion of the literary societies.

Wednesday the literary address will be

delivered by Wm. M. Thornton LL.

D., of the University of Va., and the

Alumni Oration will be delivered by

Rev. C. G. Vandell of New Bern.

Thursday will be commenced exer-

cises.

Chapel Hill commencement is being

held this week. The arrangements

have been made for a great commence-

ment. Vice-President Stephenson is

there and his presence lends quite a

charm to the occasion.

## Death of Mr. Wiley Cherry.

Mr. Wiley Cherry, one of the best

known and most prosperous farmers of

the community, died at his home six

miles from town Wednesday, May 27,

aged 78 years. Mr. Cherry had been

afflicted with rheumatism for about

two years, but recently had greatly im-

proved in health generally. A few

days before his death he was taken ill

## PERSONALS.

Mr. Jos. L. Scott was in town a day

or two last week.

Miss Julia Hutton of Suffolk is visit-

ing relatives and friends here.

Mr. W. H. White came in Tuesday

from a trip on the road.

Miss Pattie Biggs of Williamston is

visiting her cousin Miss Annie Biggs.

Mr. T. L. Allshook is here on a visit

to his people.

Mr. H. E. Biggs left Tuesday for

Louisburg where he will spend some

days.

Miss Emma Austin of Tarboro has

been on a visit here several days to her

friends.

Miss Mary Coffield of Williamston

came up on a visit to friends here Tues-

day.

Mr. Leon Williams was here from

Tarboro last week on a visit to Mr. A.

P. Hyman.

Miss Lizzie Savage who has been

here on a visit to Mrs. R. T. Vann,

returned to her home in Franklin, Va.,

Monday.

Mr. Ernest Morrisette went to Wil-

son Monday to take a position there in

the railroad business with his brother

Mr. John Morrisette.

Miss Lou Smith left Monday for Beaver

Creek, Ashe county where she has

gone to take a position as teacher.

Mr. L. M. Pittman came in Tuesday

from several months' trip on the road

for Southern Sweet Gum Co., of this

place.

Miss Annie L. Pittman of Salem

came Tuesday on a visit to her brothers

and other relatives here. Her friends

were glad to see her.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kitchin of Rox-

boro came down Tuesday to visit Mr.

Kitchin's parents. Mr. Kitchin will

deliver the address to night (Wednes-

day) before Vine Hill Male Academy.

His many friends will gladly hear him.

Mr. John T. Brinkley who went to

Baltimore with his wife Monday of last

week returned Saturday. He took her

there for special treatment but the

physicians told him that her treatment

at home was all that she needed.

Dr. McDowell accompanied Mrs. Brink-

ley and returned with her.

Miss Alice Marshall who has been

engaged in the millinery business here

some months with Mrs. W. H. White,

left Tuesday for her home at Vienna,

Md. She was here last millinery sea-

son and made many friends, and dur-

ing her stay this season she has added

to her list others who were sorry to see

her go and send best wishes with her.

## Good Crops.

Correspondence to THE DEMOCRAT.]

RINGWOOD, N. C., June 1st, '96.

Crops and grass growing finely—

some are badly in the grass. It would

do you good to see some corn crops in

this section. They are said by those

who have traveled to be the finest in

the State.

Mr. W. P. Simpson is putting up a

wind-mill on his Wood Lawn farm for

the purpose of pumping water to his

stock. He has some fine thoroughbreds

and is raising hay, clover and grasses

generally.

There was a large crowd at Central

church Sunday, and Rev. Dr. Black

preached a most excellent sermon. It

was tender, touching and impressive

to a most attentive and interested

audience. He made a fine impression

## Vine Hill Commencement.

The commencement exercises of Vine

Hill Female Academy were held Wed-

nesday and Thursday night of last week.

The following interesting programme

was rendered Wednesday night:

1. Entrance March.

2. Class Recitation—America.

3. The Doll Drill.

4. Recitation—Two Girls of 1812

5. Inst. Duet—The Sleighride—Misses

Bessie Simmons, Birdie Savage.

6. Recitation—Dimple and Dupling

—Miss Kate Dunn.

7. Hatchet Drill.

PART II.

1. Song—Bobby Shaftoe.

2. Recitation—Neddie's Thanksgiving

Visit—Miss Sadie Stern.

3. Inst. Quartette—Maiden's Blush

Waltz—Misses Kate Futrell, Minnie

Gray, Mattie Brinkley, Bessie Futrell.

4. Recitation—Marriage of the Flowers

—Miss Hattie Bell.

5. Inst. Trio—Hope March—Misses

Pattie Vaughan, Freda Hill, Emily Pe-

ters.

6. The Fan Drill.